and three carinated lines, the superior one largest, the lower one fine; colour dark olive-brown.

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M. symmetrica. Subulate; whorls 9, slightly convex, with longitudinal, slightly curved, narrow ribs, interrupted near the suture by a revolving granulated line; ribs on the body whorl not extending as far as the middle; margin of labrum profoundly rounded; colour ochraceous and black.

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Near the apex two or three volutions have a fine, granulated, carinated line.

## METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS FOR AUG. 1849.

Chiswick.-August 1. Very fine : clear. 2. Very fine: slight rain. 3. Slight rain : overcast : cold at night. 4. Clear and fine. 5. Fine : cloudy. 6. Cloudless : very fine. 7. Fine : overcast : rain. 8. Clear: very fine : lightning. 9. Foggy : very fine : heavy showers. 10. Hazy: very fine : clear. 11. Clear: cloudy : rain. 12. Overcast : clear : rain. 13. Showery. 14. Cloudy and fine. 15. Very fine. 16. Showery : very clear at night. 17-19. Fine. 20. Cloudy. 21-23. Very fine. 24. Very fine : hazy. 25. Uniformly overcast : very fine. 26,27. Very fine. 28. Very fine : slight rain at night. 29. Overcast. 30. Dry haze : rain at night. 31. Hazy : cloudy and fine.

Mean temperature of the month $62^{\circ} \cdot 91$
Mean temperature of Aug. 1848 ................................ $58 \cdot 74$
Mean temperature of Aug. for the last twenty-three years $62 \cdot 18$
Average amount of rain in August ........................... $2 \cdot 41$ inches.
Boston.-Aug. 1. Fine. 2. Fine : rain p.m. 3. Cloudy. 4. Fine. 5-7. Cloudy. 8. Cloudy : rain early A.m.: therinometer $79^{\circ} 3$ p.m. 9. Fine : rain p.m. 10, 11. Cloudy : rain p.m. 12. Fine. 13. Cloudy : rain p.m. 14. Cloudy. 15. Fine. 16. Cloudy. 17. Fine. 18. Cloudy : rain A.m. 19. Fine. 2023. Cloudy. 24-26. Fine. 27-29. Cloudy. S0. Cloudy: rain p.m. 31. Fine.

Applegarth Manse, Dumfries-shire.-Aug. 1. Fair. 2, 3. Fair: a few drops p.m. 4. Fair and warm. 5, 6. Fair: warm : cloudy p.m. 7. Frequent showers. 8. Fair and fine : beautiful day. 9. Very warm : thunder: stowers. 10. Heavy shower : very warm. 11. Very heavy rain : thunder. 12. Rain: river flooded. 13. Heavy rain. 14. Showers A.m. : cloudy p.m. 15. One shower : dull and cloudy. 16. Heavy showers : hail. 17. Wet a.m. : fine: thunder p.m. 18. Frequent showers. 19. Fair: calm : cloudy. 20. Fair and fine. 21. Fair, but dull and cloudy. 22. Light drizzling showers. 23. Showers frequent, not heavy. 24. Fair, but cloudy. 25. Shower during night : cleared. 26. Showers A.M. : fine. 27. Fair and bracing : harvest day. 28. Fair, but dull : rain p.s. 29. Fair and fine all day. 30. Rain throughout. 31. Fair and fine: dull: cleared.

> Mean temperature of the month
> $56^{\circ} \cdot 7$
> Mean temperature of Aug. 1848 ................................... 53 •7
> Mean temperature of Aug. for the last twenty-five years ... $57 \cdot 1$
> Mean rain in Aug. for twenty years.............................. $8 \cdot 60$ inches.

Sandwick Marse, Orkney.-Aug. 1. Drizzle. 2-4. Drizzle : showers. 5. Fog : cloudy. 6. Fog. 7. Cloudy. 8. Rain: fog. 9. Hazy: fog. 10. Hazy: cloudy. 11. Cloudy : rain. 12. Clear: clear, aurora. 13. Bright: clear. 14. Drizzle : rain. 15. Clear. 16. Bright : cloudy. 17. Showers. 18. Bright: cloudy a.m. 19. Damp: cloudy. 20. Drizzle : damp. 21. Rain: fine. 22. Rain : clear. 23. Clear. 24. Clear: cloudy. 25. Rain. 26. Bright: showers. 27. Bright: cloudy. 28. Cloully : showers. 29. Drizzle: damp. 30. Bright: damp. 31. Clear: fine.

